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MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1861.

THE MARKETS.

Our farmers readers and grain dealers are not doubtful themselves too early on the prospect of a brisk market and high prices for grain in consequence of the partial failure of the European harvest. The prospect now is that the amount of wheat which can be spared from the West for exportation will be very small compared with what was sent forward of last year's crop. A bad yield and heavy rains, by which the unthreshed grain has been greatly injured in the stack, have done their work, and if the causes of injury are not arrested pretty soon, prices in Europe will have slight influence here—the farmers will have little to sell. The damage just done to another staple by the late wet weather will not be without its influence upon the home consumption of wheat. We refer to the potato crop, which in thousands of acres in the Northwest, is hardly worth securing. The rains of the last fortnight found the tubers in the ground fully ripe, and awaiting the hoe of the digger. In that condition they do not long resist the joint influences of heat and moisture; hence rotting has commenced, and in fields where only a week ago every row was supposed to be sound, not a bushel of healthy potatoes can be had for a day's digging. If the loss is as general as the rains have been wide-spread, the consumption of grain in the Northwest will be largely increased, and of course every bushel used at home, is one subtracted from the sum of the exportations. A cessation of the rain might save thousands of stacks of wheat yet but little injured, and would unquestionably arrest the disease which has seized upon the potatoes; but the damage already done is incalculable.

ALL SAFE NOW.

The announcement in about every letter which comes from Washington, that the city is now safe, will be peculiarly gratifying to the Western States, as they have, in the aggregate, near forty thousand men, to say nothing of the Ohio regiments in Western Virginia, engaged in the defence of that city. The people here may begin to hope that the drafts upon the West will cease, that the half dozen regiments of cavalry now under marching orders for the Capital, will be permitted to stay where they belong; and that, as soon as practicable, the borrowed forces will be returned, if necessary, with interest. With the Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana and Ohio troops which have been carried off East to protect intrenchments that New York alone is able to guard, now set down in Missouri and Kentucky under Fremont and his commanders of columns, the aspect of affairs would be greatly changed. We should not now be trembling with apprehension of the result of a battle in the West; we could look upon Kentucky as safe, and a speedy march towards the Balize as one of the certainties of the campaign. Had no men ever been sent out of the West to protect New York and Philadelphia, by fortifications on the Potomac, Tennessee would now have been in possession of the Federal forces, overawing Kentucky, Missouri and Arkansas, and from Memphis an expedition would about this time be setting out, that would sweep secession through New Orleans out to the Gulf. The situation to-day is of another sort. We are struggling for a foothold in Missouri; Tennessee is essentially rebel in every district; Kentucky hangs evenly in the balance; Arkansas is the secure base of rebel operations, whence armies are marched towards St. Louis; and instead of boldly assuling, we are feebly defending—pitting men against hundreds, and in every action suffering defeat, not by lack of bravery in our troops, but by reason of the superhuman task to which they are sent. So much for the failure of the East to do its duty, and for that lack of military sagacity which would not see that Washington might be well defended, and the enemy at the same time vigorously assailed, in the West. But after the shame and humiliation that we are compelled to endure in consequence of the needless reverses to our arms, we have the profound satisfaction of knowing that Washington is safe, and that Simon Cameron is Secretary of War!

A NEW THING UNDER THE SUN.

A Democratic Convention of the old sort, except that it seems to have been thinly attended, was held in the city of Springfield, county of Sangamon, on Wednesday last, to nominate candidates for the Constitutional Convention and county offices, and to define the Democratic faith as at present held. They go for the war—the Democrats of Sangamon do—but they [illegible] that the Government should

> "Still in its right hand carry gentle peace
> To silence envious tongues."

In short, the Democrats of Sangamon soberly recommend Congress to call a Convention of all the States to so alter and amend the Constitution that it shall be satisfactory to—whom? *To the loyal citizens of the South!* What loyal citizen of the South has wanted the Constitution amended since the war began? The thought is preposterous. Has Mr. Holt of Kentucky asked for a Constitutional Convention? Has Senator Johnson, or Parson Brownlow, of Tennessee, or Mr. Carlile of Virginia, or Mr. Thomas of Maryland, or Gov. Stewart, or Gov. Gamble, or John S. Phelps of Missouri? Are not these the representatives of the loyal citizens of the South? What is the meaning of this sudden clamor among Democrats in Illinois demanding amendments of the Constitution in time of war to placate loyal citizens, who have not signified their desire for any such peace patulum, but have, on the contrary, appealed for more bomb shells, heavier battalions, and greater energy in the prosecution of the war? It is with no pleasure that we ask this question, but we are forced to believe that the Democracy of the county of Sangamon wished and intended to urge an amendment to the Constitution to please the rebels, but dared not put their desire in those words. If the Constitution is to be changed, it is to be changed in behalf of those who are dissatisfied with it in its present form. Who are they? Not the loyal citizens of the South; they don't ask us to amend it, but rather to give its present power and penalties in their fullest force to the rebels. Mr. Crittenden and his friends who sought to procure an amendment last winter did so avowedly to *prevent* a war. The war having now progressed six months, and having reached enormous proportions, forbidding the idea of peace until one side or the other shall have been thoroughly humbled in the field, even this excuse for tampering with the old instrument of 1787 is gone. If the loyal citizens of the South are satisfied with it, we are driven to believe that the Democracy of Sangamon want the Constitution amended, either to please themselves or to please the rebels.

We would fain suppose that the resolution adopted by our Democratic friends in Springfield was the product of a confused idea of what they did want, rather than a deliberate expression of their desire to have the Constitution amended during the present turmoil and din of civil war. But if not, there is another view of the case which cannot be avoided. It is, that they desired to have the Constitution amended somehow on the slavery question, and *made more pro-slavery than it now is.* We apprehend that this will not be denied. They wished to have it thickened so as to please somebody in the slave holding States. They passed another resolution condemning Fremont's proclamation. The conclusion is irresistible that they wished new guarantees of slavery put into the Constitution at a time when the country is in the throes of a religious war brought on by slavery itself!

Is not this idea something startling—coming from those who profess to be in favor of an earnest prosecution of the war? We trust and believe that the voters of Sangamon county will give this matter a proper airing and overhauling before they deposit their ballots in November.

MILITARY EDUCATION.

It is certain that in what way soever the war may terminate, the confidence of the people in the possibility of a peaceful maintenance of our institutions against the wiles of treason, the aggressions of slavery and the schemes of ambition, will be greatly shaken, and that the necessity for the education of our young men in the means of our country's defence, will receive much more attention than heretofore. We are glad to see that the Board of Regents of the University of Michigan have already struck out in the path in which most other popular institutions of learning will be compelled to follow. It is proposed by the Board to establish a Military Department in the University, attendance in which shall be compulsory; and they further propose to appropriate seven thousand dollars per annum for the purpose of sustaining it. This is timely and proper—an example that we hope to see imitated. The bad blood engendered by this contest, the possibility of embroilment with foreign nations, and the necessity, after peace shall have been made, of maintaining a standing army for the purpose of enforcing the laws among a people humiliated by defeat, will give employment to a considerable force in which the instruction imparted by the University of Michigan, and other institutions that keep up with the demand of the times, will find ready use.

The crying want of the immense volunteer army now in the field for the protection of the Government, has been for efficient and well educated officers. The men are, as materials for soldiers, all that could be desired—healthy, intelligent and patriotic; but they have lacked the guidance of men at home in the military art; and the want is not yet supplied. In this respect the South has had an advantage, the worth of which can hardly be appreciated. In most all the slave States, some sort of a militia system has been kept in operation; volunteering soldiering has been generally popular, and the honors which it bestowed have been eagerly sought after; drilling and target practice have been common; and semi-military schools in which Mars and Minerva alternately held sway, have been there most patronized. The effect is seen in the history of the past six months. The rebels found an army ready at their hands, and officers in abundance, who, in assuming important commands, had not to learn the rudiments of the science of war.

The people of the North, shrewd and practical, will not be long in recognizing the fact, that, after the war is over, the military spirit must be kept alive if we would not encourage a renewal of the strife that now convulses the land; once seeing it, they will not be slow to repay by their favor the schools in which, sandwiched between science and belle letters, military art is taught.

THE HECKER-KANE TROUBLE.

We published a couple of weeks ago, some correspondence between Col. Hecker of the Illinois 94th, and his Major, Kane, which was the result of the Colonel's attempt to drive the Major from the regiment in which he is regularly commissioned. Major Kane was ordered by Gen. Fremont to take his place in the regiment, which he attempted to do but was not recognized by the Colonel, who, on his own authority, had put another man in his place. The matter was referred to Gen. Anderson, who said that the Governor of Illinois must settle it. Kane then came home, saw the Governor, and armed with the following order, once more set out to assume his command:

> GENERAL'S BRANCH OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
> ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
> SPRINGFIELD, October 3d, 1861. }
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> Special Order No. 19.
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> It is hereby certified that under Executive Order of the 30th day of August, 1861, a commission was issued to Thomas J. Kane as Major of the Twenty-Fourth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, bearing date August 26th, 1861, and ranking him as Major from the seventeenth day of August, 1861, and that no other order has been issued from this department touching the right of Thomas J. Kane to his commission, whereby the United States authority has in some *legal* manner suspended his powers as Major, he is still entitled to the command of such.
>
> THOMAS S. MATHER,
> Adjutant General, Illinois.
>
> Approved October 1, 1861.
> RICHARD YATES, Governor.

It is probable that Col. Hecker will be compelled to answer to a Court Martial for his arrogant assumption of power. Unless he is arraigned and punished for his scandalous treatment of his officers, the Colonels in the service may put up for regimental dictators at once.

The Coal Boat Bridge at Paducah, Kentucky.

A bridge has been constructed by order of the Military Department of the West, as we are informed, connecting Kentucky and Illinois, over the Ohio River, just below Paducah and the mouth of the Tennessee River. What the strategetic necessities are for such a structure at that point, is more than we can understand, as there are no important connecting points on the Illinois shore, as will be readily seen by a glance at the map. The expenses incident to the care of such a structure, saying nothing of its cost, are large, as a steam ferry boat is required to open the bridge by removing a sufficient number of the boats to clear the channel for steamers as they pass. Why this steam ferry would not answer all the purposes as a method of transit, when there is as little communication as at present, is a problem difficult of solution by the uninitiated. One hundred and twenty-five boats, fifty-five feet in length by some twenty-two feet in breadth drawn up in line, each having an anchor and cable chain attached, with a roadway of six-teen feet wide constructed upon them, make in the aggregate a large outlay of the funds of the Government for a purpose just as well subserved by the ferry now required to take care of them. We can not for a moment entertain the idea, as suggested by some, that it is to be a means of *retreat* for our gallant army at Paducah, as the men are most of them Illinois and Indiana boys, who do not engage in that kind of business. And when we know that the 11th Indiana (Lew. Wallace's) Regiment, and Captain Smith's Chicago Artillery with others equally reliable as these, and under the command of such officers as Colonels Smith and Payne, we unhesitatingly say this cannot be the object of such construction. Upon the principle that "straws show which way the wind blows," we are reluctantly forced to the conclusion that some enterprising contractor discovered in this scheme a chance for a speculation—not a *California* placer exactly, but a "good thing."

Much has been said about shooting contractors who are guilty of dishonesty; yet not one has yet suffered for any such cause, hence we are to presume that they are all honest; if this be so, then are they the most abused of any class in our country. A visit to St. Louis, if we are correctly informed, and we think we are, might possibly open the eyes of some of our tax payers to what is coming if things are allowed to go on as they now are. An investigation by the Government, to say the least, would do no harm.

Walter Washington Buchanan, a godson of General Washington, died at Greenock, Scotland, on the 11th ult., at the age of 84 years. Mr. Buchanan was baptized in General Washington's arms at Hanover, (now Morristown), New Jersey, on the 6th of January, 1777, and Kosciusko and Lafayette were present at the ceremony. Mr. Buchanan subsequently became a surgeon in the United States Navy.

Important from Fremont.

[Special Dispatch to the Cincinnati Gazette.]

FRANKFORT, Oct. 3.

We have late news from Gerrard's forces, which represents that Zollicoffer's advanced troops have been only a few miles this side of London. They have taken two of Col. Woodford's cavalry scouts prisoners near London. They are killing Rebel stock, and destroying the boat; the object is destroyed. Sixty wagon loads of salt were taken from its cargo in Clay county, and sent to Zollicoffer. Mr. Davis recently, while the steamboat refused, sent her word that he would be up to-morrow. It is thought that Zollicoffer will move by the Richmond road to Richmond, Madison county, as he has some friends in that county, some of whom are already with him.

THE ARMIGER WELL AT FORT MCALLISTER.—Workmen have succeeded in sinking a vein of good water at the bottom of the Armiger well forty two feet, in a bed of gravel. This will be a great convenience to the fort, should the supply prove adequate.

THE "CONTRABANDS" AT FORTRESS MONROE.

Interesting Narrative of a Mission Agent.

Editors Chicago Tribune:

The American Missionary Association having taken its rise from the anti-slavery reform, has been led to devote especial attention to the wants of the African race. This is manifest in various home and foreign missions it has one among the Mendians in Africa, one among the refugees in Canada, and one among the emancipated slaves in Jamaica. Now the "contrabands" have opened to it a new, interesting and important field. The Rev. L. C. Lockwood, for many years known as a successful city missionary in New York, is now labouring in behalf of this Association among the people of color at Fortress Monroe. His mission has received the approbation of Gen. Wool and of Col. Butler, brother of Gen. Butler. He is instituting day schools among them and Sunday schools, preaching, and doing all that he can for their temporal and spiritual welfare.

Some extracts from his recent letters to the Association will be of interest to your readers:

I find more and more thankfulness that it is my privileged lot to minister to those "contrabands." I find some exhorters among them, who have led meetings since they have been without a pastor; and I have arranged some meetings for them to lead, thinking that it this way the moral and intellectual development of leaders and people will be better secured.

Last week I walked out with one of these leaders, named Carey, to see some of his people. and I was much interested in the tale of his experience. His said that for some years past there has been a general and growing expectation among the slaves that God would soon undertake for them. He believes in supernatural impressions. Nearly three years ago, he said the sky seemed a strange appearance, and he prayed to God that he might understand it, if it was meant to be a sign of the times. And in answer to prayer it was impressed on his mind that it was a token of judgment on the land because of oppression. For a time nothing special occurred, and he was laughed at; but when John Brown's raid occurred, he said, "There, don't you see the sign beginning to be fulfilled?"

After Mr. Lincoln's election, and before his inauguration, his master said to him, "You are the cause of all this." "Well, master," said he, "it is only glad I have been expecting a long time." The master turned away without much satisfaction. Carey represented the light dawning on their prospects as like that which drives away the fog from the bay and reveals the sails that before were obscured. In mid-day, (12 m.) prayer, he said, the Lord told me like the nearing of a vessel towards port.

Another leader named Davis, on whom I called in company with him, said that he had been an overseer, and after his conversion he longed to be delivered from his unpleasant situation, but no way opened. He thus prayed that God would convert all under his charge, and many were converted. He one day told of the Lord, "God is going to deliver us in some way. 'Oh, no,' said they, 'you are the last one that master will let go.' 'Well,' said he, 'he might cling to me, or he left the family.' 'Oh, no,' said they, 'you are the last one that master will let go.' 'Well,' said he, 'he might cling to me, or he left the family in my charge, and when he rode out to see it,' he said, 'Things are going on better than I myself could make them go.' Thus the Lord blessed the crops, and gave them favor in the eyes of their master.

But he had a great deal of trouble in suing for the freedom of his wife, who was left by her master in Carolina, and performing the marriage ceremony between them. They were married about a year ago, and have since had a child born. A wonderful time, indeed, we live in, and a wonderful undertaking we have entered upon—an undertaking whose end is not yet, and the issues of whose development none can foresee.

If the result of this rebellion shall be the destruction of that vision and its cause, as we devoutly hope, here will be four millions of heathen thrown upon our hands to be Christianized. The Association is preparing for the work. Now is the time. Any persons who may wish to contribute to this object may remit to Lewis Tappan, Treasurer, 61 John st., New York, or to the undersigned, of this city.

J. E. ROY,
Sec. Western Agency, A. M. A.

THE SIEGE OF LEXINGTON.

A COMPLETE AND CIRCUMSTANTIAL NARRATIVE.

Diary of Lieut. McClure, Company D, Irish Brigade.

By the politeness of the wife of Lieutenant Thomas D. McClure, of Company D, 23d Regiment Illinois Volunteers, of Earlville, La Salle county, we are enabled to print a full and circumstantial narrative of the siege and surrender of Lexington, from a well written diary kept by Lieut. McClure. The narrative begins on the 13th of September, the day on which Col. Mulligan commenced his march to Lexington. Although the attack on the entrenchments did not begin till the 19th, the place was invested by Gen. Price on the 12th, and the skirmishing of pickets began then. We, therefore, take up Lieut. McClure's narrative on that day:

FIRST DAY.

SEPT. 12—6 O'CLOCK A. M.

Great excitement all night, rumors constantly coming in and going out; bark, now the ball is speaking! Company K, Capt. Quirk, went out about 4 A. M., and now we hear their cheers and rally cries; also the discharge of their guns. The shots are becoming more frequent; there goes a discharge of at least fifty guns, and still another. I think that they will check the advance guard of the rebels. We are anxious to meet them, although they have five men to our one—most fearful odds. Our entrenchments are only begun. If we could have one day more we could complete the work.

RORY O'CONOR.

The firing has ceased; our picket has returned and reports that they met the rebel picket, but it did not stand their fire, but fled into the cornfield. We killed 26 and brought in two prisoners. Two companies have now gone out, Co. D is placed as guard to the camp. Three other companies are in the ditch, working with all their energy.

FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.

Here come the scouts with the report that the rebels are within one mile. Our men are all in rank waiting their first appearance.

SEVEN O'CLOCK P. M.

The rebels have ceased firing for the night. Our little skirmishment has done us great good. But two more killed and seven severely, perhaps fatally, wounded. The fight was principally with the artillery, for their force was in the woods and some distance from us. Our men fought well. It is not very pleasant to have cannon balls flying all round and over me. One passed close to my head. I take off with a ball, another one both legs. A ball passed over us, went through three mules which stood in range and they did not jump at the momentum of the ball apparently in the least, but it went tearing, crashing along, like some infuriated thing. Two shots struck from one cannon 110 shots in an hour. We had three pieces at work; they had the same number. We did them great damage, so think that they are now retiring. Lucy did not aim well, for most of the balls pass too high. Our last shot disabled one of their pieces.

SECOND DAY.

SEPT. 13—8 O'CLOCK A. M.

The rebels have not yet appeared this morning, although we have orders to remain on our guard all night. Our men worked on the dyke until two this morning, then they laid down in the ditch to sleep. Willie Mount cried out "look-out" for them. It now begins to rain

THREE O'CLOCK P. M.

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Chicago Tribune

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1861.

THE CITY.

TRINITY CHURCH.—Mrs. Mozart will sing in the choir of Trinity Church this (Sunday) evening. The combined talent of Mrs. Mozart, Miss Hessert, Julius Lumbard, and Mr. Pease, is rarely heard in a church choir.

PERIODICALS.—The Rebellion Record, part 9, and the second series of Illustrations to the work; Revised Army Regulations for 1861, &c., &c., have been received by Walsh, corner of Madison street and Custom House Place.

PERSONAL.—Among the arrivals at the Richmond House we notice J. B. King, Esq., editor of the *State Atlas* at Minneapolis, Minn.; J. J. H. Rice, Esq., of New York; Lieut. Colonel F. Shepherd and Capt. Geo. E. Leighton, of the 19th Missouri Volunteers, and Hon. Levi Hubbel, of Milwaukee.

MRS. MOZART'S CONCERT.—Mrs. Mozart's second concert occurs on this (Monday) evening. A new programme has been prepared, replete with operatic and ballad gems. As this is the last opportunity of hearing this talented vocalist, everyone should embrace the present opportunity.

THE TUG MCQUEEN.—The tug-boat McQueen, late of this port, which has been purchased by the Government to serve as a gun boat on the seaboard, arrived at Detroit on Thursday night. The Detroit papers speak of her in the highest terms. She is probably now in the Welland Canal, delayed there by a break in the locks.

CAUSE FOR REJOICING.—We know it will be gratifying to our citizens generally to learn that the vile hole at the crossing of South Water street and Michigan avenue, which has been a nuisance to all passers in vehicles for more than a year past, is to be vastly improved by the substitution of a new stone pavement.

LARCENIES.—In the Police Court, Saturday, James Harvey, a newsboy, was held to bail for trial upon the charge of stealing newspapers from McNally's news depot.

Matthew Tiffany, a sailor, was also held for trial, to answer the charge of stealing a gold chain from a boarding house in the North Division, kept by one Caroline Murry.

PERSONAL.—The following are among the arrivals at the Briggs House: Hon. J. S. Morrill, Vermont; Hon. P. Baker, do.; Hon. Hiram Barrett, do.; J. F. Fairbanks, Esq., New York; Hon. R. G. Lewis, N. H.; Wm. Russell and family, St. Louis; Hon. T. M. Johnson, Boston; G. D. Cragin and Lady, N. Y.; Geo. H. Skinner, Esq., Boston.

CAVALRY HORSES.—It is said that the horses of Farnsworth's regiment, rejected by the Government inspector, are not these supplied by the contractors, but horses that were sent out, belonging to other parties, to be purchased in the event of their passing muster. We are glad to see that the inspector is doing his duty, and that the boys will at least be well mounted.

METEOROLOGICAL.—Range of the Thermometer for the week, as noted by R. I. O'Hara, at his Drug Store, No. 59 West Randolph, corner of Canal street:

1861.	T. A. M.	12 M	6 P. M.
Sunday, Sept. 29	48	55	60
Monday, " 30	46	58	59
Tuesday, Oct. 1	57	71	69
Wednesday, " 2	54	69	64
Thursday, " 3	52	64	56
Friday, " 4	52	63	57
Saturday, " 5	45	59	51

THE NEW COLLECTOR.—We ought to have accompanied the announcement of the appointment of Luther Haven, Esq., as Collector of the Port of Chicago, with the remark that it was one eminently fit for the man. Mr. Haven is one of our oldest citizens, and no man among us enjoys a higher reputation for probity, honesty, and capacity than he.

CORRECTION.—We were in an error in stating in our last issue that the Chicago Gas Com pany were to be the first of the series of accidents mentioned in our last issue, which occurred at the corner of Lake and Dearborn sts. The Chicago Board of Puplic Works, the Sewerage branch, was the one in fault. The only responsibility, with the gas company was in furnishing the darkness. This, as our readers know, was a misfortune, not a fault.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The Convention of Sunday Schools to be held in this city on the 9th and 10th inst., promises to be of unusual interest. Friends of the Sabbath School interest from various parts of the country have signified their intention to be present. The procession of Sabbath School scholars has been postponed until the 12th inst., to accommodate the Catholic day schools. An army of 10,000 children passing through our streets will be a novel and instructive sight.

MR. NEAFIE'S BENEFIT.—Mr. Neafie's benefit is re-announced for this evening, in consequence of the dismissal of the audience on Friday night for the want of light, the gas not making its appearance till near nine o'clock. Such was the desire to see Mr. Neafie as Metamora that a large audience sat in darkness and patience from the time the doors opened till they were dismissed by the manager. The theatre would have been filled on that night, as if undoubtedly will be to-night. Metamora will be performed, with dancing by Misses Hight, and McVicker in the farce of "All the World's a Stage."

ON FURLOUGH.—Lieut. I. H. Williams of Company I, Illinois Thirteenth, Col. Wyman commanding, arrived in this city on Saturday from Rolla, Mo. Until recently, Lieut. Williams has been on duty, having been stationed about the first of September by the rebels, while in charge of a train of ambulances, and taken to Springfield. The rebels at one time had concluded to dispose of their prisoner by hanging, and for that purpose had taken him into the woods and arranged the halter in readiness. The interference of some of the rebel officers, however, saved him, and subsequently he was released and allowed to return. He reports the "Thirteenth" strongly entrenched at Rolla and in excellent health and spirits. He remains on furlough in this city for a few days.

☞ The new Army Regulations, approved August 10th, 1861; Revised Regulations for the Army of the United States, with a full index. By authority of the War Department. In one large octavo volume—price, $2. Copies sent by mail on receipt of price by John W. Norris, 102 Madison and 100 Dearborn streets, Chicago. He also has Rebellion Record, monthly parts, Nos. 5 and 7; also, Nos. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 of the weekly, containing all official particulars of all the late military transactions. Also, a book containing the following portraits: Generals Dix, Lyon, McClellan, Cameron, President Lincoln, Governor Sprague, Alex. H. Stephens, Gen. Beauregard and the different Zouave costumes—all for 30 cents.

☞ Much time and money has been spent by inventors in the vain endeavor to do away with the brush or leather pad in connection with the rotating hook of the Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machine. It has at last been the good fortune of a young German mechanic in the employ of the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Company, to develope an idea which is brought out in the improved Grover & Baker machine, that will probably supercede the rotating hook. It is the substitution of an oscillating hook for the rotating, thereby saving a great amount of friction on the thread. In connection with this is a rigid steel pad which does for very nature is durable, never wearing and no requiring re-adjustment as a perishable cork or leather pad must.

This is a great step onward in the march of improvements in the wonderful little labor-saving instrument. It seems now as if perfection itself had been attained.

THE CHICAGO LEGION.—This regiment, the 1st of Illinois Volunteers, goes into the new State Camp at Cottage Grove this week with 900 men, under Col. G. W. Cummings and Lieut. Col. L. P. Bradley. It will be remembered there are connected with the regiment one company of cavalry and one of artillery. The cavalry is to be commanded by Captain Rolland, who has had some ten years experience in the regular army, and will from all accounts make a dashing officer. Capt. Waterhouse of the artillery is an experienced officer, perfectly familiar with the duties of that service, having also been in the regular army. We congratulate the regiment upon their good fortune in securing the experience of these men as well as that of others who are acting with the infantry, and can most heartily recommend the recruiting officers of the 51st to our friends in the country. The uniforms, camp equipage, &c., are already furnished by Capt. Wade, U. S. Quartermaster. The regiment is at present rates of filling up, will be ready to march in a few weeks, and as it has many of our well-known Chicago young men will carry with it the deepest interest of hundreds of our citizens. Success to the Chicago Legion.

The Wentworth Currency Meeting.

John Wentworth's Currency meeting at Metropolitan Hall on Saturday evening was quietly attended. A few gentlemen and a handful of idlers or curious spectators made up the crowd. The speaker said that the newspapers had made a mistake by announcing his meeting for next Saturday evening, and he would therefore adjourn until that time. His theme would be a history of Wild Cat Currency with reference to the approaching Convention.

The speaker, followed by his audience, left the hall; the gas was shut off and thus ended the Currency meeting.

House Furnishing.

We call attention to the advertisement of Allen & Dalton. No. 71 Lake Street, in another column. The store is well and handsomely filled with an assortment of house-keeping articles which embraces about every thing that can be called for, embracing the whole range of housekeeper's goods from a range to a skewer.

This firm have had long experience in their business, and have achieved a reputation second to no other. It is a good proof that they have deserved well of the public, that their business has constantly and largely increased even during the panic times. Among the articles they keep, well deserving of special mention, and which at this season of the year must be deemed almost a necessity, is "SANFORD'S $1000 PATENT CHALLENGE HEATER." The patentee of this Heater was the first person to introduce the plan of causing the fire to pass through a number of small tubes to a radiator above, whence the draft finds its way into the chimney. Mr. Sanford adopted the above form in his now celebrated Portable Heaters and so fully has it been found to serve its purpose, the same principle has been adopted by various inventors—and an examination will prove that those furnaces which give the best satisfaction, are such as adopt this plan of increasing the radiating surface.

Never was a season in this city that suggested more powerfully in advance, the economy of fuel, than the winter we are approaching, when rates must inevitably rule high. The economy of the Sanford Heater is attested by many of our well-known citizens who have it in use, while as to its perfect working there can be but one verdict.

Lake Street.

MR. EDITOR:—Having published in your paper an attack upon the property owners on Lake street between Wabash avenue and Michigan avenue, because of their opposition to paving Lake street between said avenues, with Nicholson pavement, you will not deny them a word of explanation.

The property owners above mentioned have, with scarce an exception, remonstrated against tearing up the boulder pavement to replace with the Nicholson pavement, for the reason that this block was substantially laved at an expense of $150 per lot, up to the established grade, and was accepted by the city authorities. Said grade has therefore never been altered. This block is now, therefore, unlike any other on Lake street, is paved up to the established grade.

This pavement is now in such a state that a written agreement is in the hands of the Committee of Streets and Alleys, to repair the entire block for the sum of $60, and an order is also in the hands of said Committee to repair said block at the expense of the property owners who have signed the same.

A written proposal is also in hand from Mr. De Golyer, to take up, fill if required, and re-pave this block at one-third the price he received for the Nicholson pavement.

In these embarrassing times, low rents and heavy taxes, we trust our authorities will not require those who have to bear the expense in opposition to their expressed wishes, to tear up and erect a substantial boulder pavement laid on the established grade, for the benefit of a company, which yet requires the test of durability, and which we understand is not generally adopted in Boston, where it originated, and where it has been tried and tested sufficiently to have been more generally adopted if superior to other kinds.

As alternate blocks on Lake street are to be made of pine and oak, why not allow one block of boulder pavement, and one block of Wilkins' preventive mettle of each as to durability. The writer of this is favorably impressed with the Nicholson pavement, and signed a petition for paving part of Lake street therewith, where he is willing to bear the expense, because the old pavement is far below grade and in bad repair.

Sidewalks should not be permitted above the established grade if private spaces as even grade. Several have thus been constructed on Lake street between Wabash avenue and Michigan avenue some twenty inches above grade, which has led many to suppose that the street pavement was below grade, and probably this originated the petition signed by parties who would bear no portion of the assessment, for the property-owners have almost unanimously remonstrated against this assessment, being unfair as it is in another particular, viz: that the rate of assessment on this block where no filling is required is the same as on other blocks where several feet of filling are required.

The petitioners for the benefit of the Chicago cil who oppose this assessment are threatened with being posted and taunted with being bought.

The patentee of the Nicholson pavement, we understand, receives about twenty-four hundred dollars for the right to use it on Lake street; and we would be inclined to believe that men who labor so assiduously under such circumstances would be quietly rewarded by their brethren as are those members of the Council who strive to labor for constituents as well as contractors.

OWNERS.

REMARKS.—There was never any improvement undertaken in the city against which property owners could not make out as clear a case as the writer of the above communication. There are always plenty of excuses why it should be put off, and the richer the property owners are, the more pressing and cogent the reasons become. As to the improvement in question, the public will be satisfied if the street is put in good condition. The particular kind of pavement is of no sort of consequence, provided only that the street is kept in good order. But we see no reason to change the opinions expressed a few days ago, that if the assessment is suffered to go over, a large part of the advantage to be derived from paving Lake street will be lost for another year. Instead, therefore, of allowing a virtual embargo for months of the entire business of the city with three of our great railway lines, it is to be hoped that the Aldermen will unanimously confirm the assessment on Monday evening, and have done with this vexatious business. Any further efforts at patchwork are a humbug.

COOK COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The Cook County Teachers' Institute will open at Blue Island, to-day. Teachers should be present at the opening of the session. Arrangements have been made for the free entertainment of teachers, and evening addresses will be delivered by the following gentlemen: On Monday evening, by Mr. C. C. Meserve; on Tuesday, by Rev. J. H. Tuttle; on Wednesday, by Prof. James Johonot; on Thursday, by Dr. O. H. Tiffany; and on Friday, by Dr. Joseph Haven.

JURIES FOR THE RECORDER'S COURT.—The following named citizens have been selected to compose the grand and petit jurors for the October term of the Recorder's Court, which commences to-day:

Grand Jury—Gotthard Schaaf, Peter Fox, C. J. Wilder, C. N. Sanborn, John Wright, John Johnson, James Grant, Charles S. Dole, Albert Schlosser, E. S. Cutler, B. F. Carver, Charles Nelson, John Gerrish, C. Schmidt, Jr., John Mann, Conrad Whipe, John Voght, Michael Diversey, J. H. Dole, J. Carpenter, Michael Kehoe, Philip Conley, D. B. Cooke.

Petit Jury—James McDonald, James Waugh, Ira Bates, H. F. Wilson, Robert Hill, R. F. Root, James Boyer, R. R. Armstrong, Joseph Harris, James H. Pearson, C. C. Williams Carrigan, J. Schumacher, Michael Grant, Phil. Horne, L. J. Cutler, Louis Haase, Alvin Salsbury, G. W. Hervey, J. E. Cutler, Thomas Hasbe, Henry Niemier, William Miller, George F. Ramsey.

Unpaid Letters.

The following letters, detained in the Chicago Post Office for Postage, will be forwarded to the Dead Letter Office, on Monday next, unless the postage is previously paid. Call at the room of the Dead Letter Clerk, up stairs:

John Dahroven, Chicago, Ill.
" M. Johnson, " "
" H. Lonfield, " "
" C. Ogden, " "
W. W. Johnson, Kankakee, Ill.
Mary B. Davis, Pecatonica, Ill.
Sarah L. Lawler, Channahan, Ill.
Capt. Tillman, Quincy, Ill.
Anne Rasmuson, Milwaukee, Wis.
Oscar Wahl, Cincinnati, O.
T. Frank Fletcher, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Dan'l McGilin, Louisville, Ky.
John Michens, Peoria, Ill.
Miss Sarah Ritter, Ralsbridge, Pa.
John G. Hagg, Philadelphia, Pa.
J. G. Dudley, New York City.
Mrs. Hiram Tompkins, New York City.
Mrs. Cook, Jr., Rochester, N. Y.
John Nackles, Morley, N. Y.
Wm. Bucroyer, Ft. Hamilton, L. I., N. Y.
Sam'l S. Talmadge, Newark, N. J.
Miss Matilda S. Barstow, Berlington, Vt.

A Suggestion to Railroads.

We commend the attention of railroads interested to the suggestion contained in the following communication:

CHICAGO, Oct. 5, 1861.

Editors Chicago Tribune:—Thousands of the inhabitants of the Northwest, who have friends among the volunteers at Baltimore and Washington, would visit them this fall before they are moved off on a winter campaign, if they could go on half fare over the railroads.

If the companies would issue excursion tickets to Washington and return, good till 1st December, after the manner of ten-bathing tickets, which the Rock Island Railroad issued in August last, it would induce thousands to take the trip. Many a father and mother would avail themselves of the chance, who under present rates of fare could not go.

The Grand Trunk Company gave tickets from Detroit to Portland and return for 25 cts a distance of about one thousand and nine hundred miles. Will not the companies along the route above mentioned follow the example?

A FATHER.

☞ Go to John Jones's and get your clothes cleaned and repaired. My prices are as low as the lowest. 9c-1

☞ One hundred recruits wanted for Co. A, Dye's Company of Sharp Shooters, Col. J. W. Sheridan's Regiment. Flight Dye has been authorized to raise a company for this regiment, and has opened an office at Room No. 4, Kingsbury Block, 68 Randolph, between Clark and Dearborn streets, Chicago Legion.

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DOUGLAS GUARDS.—Captain Francis Cutts, has received a commission to raise a company for the McClellan Brigade. His recruiting offices are at No. 1 Custom House Place, 161 Lake street, and No. 1 McDermitt's Block,

for recruiting, where a specimen of our rifles may be seen. oct4-w

ARMY REGULATIONS.—New edition, enlarged, revised and improved, by order of the War Department, Oct. 1861; price $2, postage 32 cts. Infantry Tactics, $1.25, postage 20 cts. Cavalry Tactics, 3 vols., $3.75, postage 30 cts. Illsworth's Zouave Drill, the Young Recruit, and all other military books, at the Military Bookstore of P. T. Sherlock, 119 Dearborn-st, Chicago. oct-G

WHEELER & WILSON SEWING MACHINES.—The only Sewing Machine in the world making the Lock Stitch with a ROTATING HOOK, and using a Glass Foot.

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GAS FIXTURES.—The place to get *new styles* at low figures, 182 Lake street. H. W. WILLARD.
September 16, 1861. sep16-3m

PIANOS.—If you wish to buy or rent a piano, go to W. W. Kimball's, 90 Clark street. sep26-20t

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

—In response to a letter of invitation signed by C. J. Hammond, L. D. Olmsted, Public Carpenter, Francis Bradley, Benjamin Carpenter, and others, Rev Mr. Patton will repeat his Bryan Hall, on Sabbath evening, 6th inst., at 7½ o'clock, the discourse which he delivered in his own church on Fast Day, and which was repeated by request in the New England Church the succeeding Sabbath.

—Bishop Whipple will preach in the Church of the Holy Communion at 4 o'clock p. m.

—Bishop Whipple will preach to-day (Sunday,) at 10½ a. m.; at the Holy Communion at 4 p. m.; and at Grace Church at 7½ p. m.

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12 "	900	40 "	1,500
15 "	950	50 "	1,750
20 "	1,000	60 "	2,000
25 "	1,100	80 "	2,500

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MONETARY.

SATURDAY EVENING, Oct. 5, 1861.

Currency continues rather scarce, but the week opens with better supply than it has been present in the early part of it. The facilities for obtaining it are such that a scarcity cannot continue many days. The State Bank of Indiana is represented here by three houses, and the Ohio and Iowa State Banks are ready to exchange their issues for New York produce with to the full extent of their ability. Agents of Eastern banks are also circulating their issues as far and as fast as possible, and although the demands of the business of the city are enormous, and will be till navigation closes, enough for all legitimate business purposes is quite sure to be abundant.

Exchange is very plenty, and shippers are glad to sell at par@¼. Bank rates are ¼, the supply being in excess of the demand. The larger houses are selling gold to-day freely at ¼ premium; for small lots, we presume ¾@1 per cent are the figures.

DEMAND TREASURY NOTES.—We noticed in our last issue, that one of our leading railways had made arrangements to pay off its monthly bills in demand Treasury notes. We learn with pleasure to-day that Solomon Sturges & Sons have arranged to bring on from New York $50,000 per day (till navigation closes. They will put them in circulation, and do all they can to keep them in the hands of the people. We trust our other railways, and bankers, and our business men generally, will second those efforts by all the means in their power, and that our circulation will, within a few weeks, consist largely of this perfectly safe, and always reliable currency.

MILWAUKEE.—We take the following from the *Sentinel* of this morning:

Business in the money market was quite lively yesterday, and rates unchanged. The banks selling exchange at 1 per cent prem., and buying at par @¼. Outside rates, as usual, ¼@¾ per cent. below the bank rates. There is some complaints of a scarcity of currency amongst produce operators. We understand there is considerable inquiry for Canadian currency to buy wheat in Minnesota, while in Wisconsin currency is taken more freely in this State. There is also considerable demand for gold from that quarter, for which the banks charge ¾@¾ per cent. prem.

CLEVELAND LEADER, Oct. 3.—Flour quiet and steady at old figures. Wheat—Sales of 2 cars red at 96c, and 1 car white at 98c; closing at 96c. Corn—Sales of 1 car at 34c on track. Oats—Sales of 1 car at 29½c, and 1 do at 30c.—*Leader.*

Daily Review of Chicago Market.

SATURDAY EVENING, Oct. 5, 1861.

FREIGHTS—Dull and lower. The engagements to-day were: schr Athenian, wheat to Buffalo at 1c; barl Cleveland, rechartered at 15½c, and to Buffalo. A standard vessel to Oswego via Canal at 22c: schr Abigail, wheat to Oswego via Canal, at 20c.

FLOUR—Receipts, 6,319 brls; shipped, 4,060 brls. Market quiet. Sales were: 80 brls "Waterloo," delivered, $5; 400 brls "Superior," at $4.75 del; 100 brls "Superior," 92 lbs "Clinton," 70 brls "Red Jacket," 100 brls "Ellsworth" on p. t.; 100 brls "Superior," at $4.25 del; 100 brls "Mohawk" at $4.00 on track; 100 brls "Excelsior" at 150 lbs, delivered, at $4.25; 50 brls "Superior" at $3.85 del; 300 brls "Princeton City" on p. t.; 100 brls "Rich Hill" at $3.60 del; 100 brls "Eagle" at $3.50 on track; 50 brls "Eagle" at $3.80 del; 70 brls superfine at $2.50 del.

WHEAT—Receipts 106,017 bu. Shipments 49,000 bu. Market firm and 1c higher. Sales were 1,900 bu No. 1 Red Winter, del, at 96c; 4,000 bu do at 97c; 2,000 bu No. 2 do at 93c in store; 2,000 bu No. 2 do at 93c in store; 2,000 bu do at 92½c in store; 10,000 bu do at 92c in store; 10,000 bu do (in a particular warehouse) at 92c in store; 3,000 bu do (in a particular warehouse) at 93c in store; 18,000 bu No. 2 Spring, del, at 85c; 1,000 bu do at 84c; 2,000 bu do at 83c; 3,000 bu do at 84½c in store; 2,000 bu do (in a particular warehouse) at 85c in store; 3000 bu Rejected at 80c in store; 1,000 bu do at 81c in store; 1,000 bu do at 83½c in store; 7000 bu do at 80c in store.

CORN—Receipts 15,000 bu. Market firm. Sales were 16,000 bu No. 2 Mixed at 36c afloat; 15,000 bu do at 37½c del; 10,000 bu do at 36½c del; 5,000 bu do at 36c del; 5,000 bu do at 35½c del; 5,000 bu do at 35c del; 5,000 bu do at 34½c del; 17,000 bu Mixed at 36c in store; 13,000 bu do at 35½c in store; 1900 bu do at 35c in store; 1900 bu Rejected at 32c in store.

OATS—Receipts 8688 bu. Shipments 15,700 bu. Market steady and firm: sales 800 bu No 1 at 15½c; 1,000 bu do at 15½c; 1,000 bu do at 15½c; 1,000 bu do at 14c in store.

RYE—Receipts, 1,400 bu; shipments, 11,400 bu. Market steady. Sales 800 bu No. 1 at 30c in store.

BARLEY—Receipts, 2,900 bu. Market firm. Sales 135 bags No 2 at 31c; 177 bags good at 37½c on track.

BEANS—Receipts, 26,466 lbs. Timothy seed more active and steady. Sales 30 bags prime at $1.40; 41 bags at $1.35; 129 bags at $1.30; 15 bags at $1.25.

BILL STUFFS—Dull. Sales 11 tons coarse middlings at $7.50 on track.

MESS PORK—Market dull. Sales 100 brls Winter packed at $19.00.

WOOL—Receipts 4,891 lbs. Market firm. Sales 1,600 lbs at 40c.

DRESSED—Market active and firm, with sales of fresh at 5@5½c ₩ lbs.

BUTTER—Steady, at 6@8½c for fair to good; 9@10c for dairy.

HIDES—Market active and firm. We quote: Green County, 4@5½c; Green Salted, 5½@6c; Dry Salted, (Spring) Dry Flint, 11@11½c.

LARD—Market entirely nominal at 7½@7½c.

POULTRY—Live Chickens are in fair demand at $1.25@1.50 ₩ doz. Live Turkeys 6@7c ₩ lb.

LIVE STOCK.—There is some inquiry for Cattle by packers, but shippers are out of the market. Hogs are dull and easier. Sheep steady. Sales were:

16 Cattle averaging	1165 lbs at		$3.65
93	"	1000	2.00
146	"	1197	2.00
19	"	1013	2.00
20	"	1240	2.00
18	"	1346	2.25
15	"	1161	2.40
110	"	1165	2.60
10 Sheep	"	95	2.75
90	"	89	2.75

Tuesday's New York Cattle Market.

[From the N. Y. Tribune, 3d.]

With over 4,800 bullocks already received, and some 1,700 head reported to be detained by a broken bridge on the Erie Canal, it is no wonder that we have to report the market dull to-day at last week's quotations. Trading all the fore part of the day, trade was unusually dull for Tuesday forenoon, and although the salesmen made strong efforts to maintain last week's prices, the tendency was to lower rates. Before the close, however, there was a slight improvement, and the market closed steady at quotations. We quote extra at $4.50@4.60; extra fancy at $4.35, $5.00 and $5.25; and fancy at $5.10@5.75—the fashionable figures for spring wheat. Only quite well-fatted steers from Illinois and Wisconsin, and from some as high as 1,600 lbs, can command the highest quotations. There will be also a few extra good bullocks sold, equivalent to 9 cents a pound for the meat, but the number that will be offered at that is not large, nor will as many be sold at 8¾ cents as last week, although the quality class sold will be larger, and the number of good, fair quality is very large.

Owing to the supply nearly sold at Bergen on Monday being cut short by the great flood, which carried away bridges, there were more than usual sold at the Forty-fourth-street yards yesterday, the number being variously estimated from 600 to 1,000 head, and it is said that many of the city butchers say $5 to $5.75 head, and more if cattle are getting fully fatted; still the bulk of the sales are at 8@8¾ cents, as already said a reliable quotation. Others are anxious to maintain it, and say that a trifling increase in the bulk of the cattle which are sold on Tuesday, is all that effect this week. We believe we may deal the representation as to the quality of the cattle, and this injures the market. It is quite as likely to be better on Thursday as on Tuesday, and so there is no reason that the detained trains cannot get in.

There is much anxiety to discover what effect the war is to exercise upon the price of the cattle market—many believing that it will tend to reduce all the holidays that can be made available, which will so crowd the market here that no advance can be expected. On the other hand, more than usual will be required for the army, so that the chances appear about even. We do not look for a rise before December, because that is an unprofitable time; but we do expect a good trade in prime cattle from the middle of November to the middle of December, and we think that the receipts of cattle will be much smaller than usual. Sheep are in good demand, and prices are firm at last week's quotations. Lambs are in fair demand, and prices are firm at last week's quotations. Veal calves are in fair demand, and prices are firm at last week's quotations.

MARKETS BY THE LATEST MAILS

TOLEDO, Oct. 3.—Flour—No sales. Wheat advanced 2@3c. Sales 1,300 bu white M S at 91.04; 800 bu red lil. at 94c; 975 bu white Wabashat $1.04; 1,400 bu Michigan white at $1.04. Corn—Sales 300 bu white Michigan at $1.04; 3,000 bu red Michigan at 37½@38c; 1,000 bu Wabash and Canal red at 36½c; 4,000 bu Michigan red at 99c. Corn—Sales 16,700 bu at 32c.—*Blade.*

PROVISIONS.—The provision market for demand is only moderate, while prices, although steady, have undergone no change. We quote extra at $4.50@4.60; extra fancy at $4.85, $5.00 and $5.25; and fancy at $5.10@5.75—the fashionable figures for spring wheat. Only quite well-fatted steers from Illinois and Wisconsin, and from some as high as 1,600 lbs, can command the highest quotations. There will be also a few extra good bullocks sold, equivalent to 9 cents a pound for the meat, but the number that will be offered at that is not large, nor will as many be sold at 8¾ cents as last week, although the quality class sold will be larger, and the number of good, fair quality is very large.

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RECEIPTS LAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

	Flour, brls.	Wheat, bu.	Corn, bu.	Oats, bu.	Rye, bu.	Bar. bu.
Canal		5000	29262	7000	....	....
G. & C. U. R. R.	826	26124	....	....	....	1034
R. I. R. R.	700	9100	9450	....	700	400
Ill. C. R. R.	1000	12000	9000	700	700	750
C. & A. R. R.	1838	23458	17331	....	....	118
N. W. R. R.	1707	16217	48	945	....	533
A. & S. R. R.	1000	9400	2650	....	....	....
Total	6819	100847	121191	8693	1400	2960

SHIPMENTS LAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

	Flour, brls.	Wh't, bu.	Corn, bu.	Oats, bu.	Rye, bu.	Bar. bu.
To Buffalo	4600	26100	94100	15700	11400	....
To Collingw'd	....	13000	....	....	....	....
Total	4600	39100	94100	15700	11400	....

There was an active shipping demand for Spring Wheat, and the market advanced ¾@1c, closing firm and steady, at 74¾c for No. 2, and 79¾c for No. 1. Winter Wheat was quiet and firm, at 86¾ for No. 2, and 87c for No. 1 Red.

The demand for Flour was less active, and the market was quiet and unchanged. Corn was in good demand by shippers, and the market was steady and a shade better, with sales at 29@31½c for Mixed, afloat, and 31@31½c for Mixed in store. Oats are in good supply, and dull at 15½@15¾c. Rye steady at 30c. Barley firm. Timothy seed steady and more active.

Lake freights are dull and 1c lower, with engagements early at 13c for corn and 16c for wheat, to Buffalo. Later, charters were made at 13½c for wheat.

SALT.—The quantity of salt inspected on the Onondaga Reservation for four weeks, ending the 26th September, was 57,000 bushels. The whole quantity of salt thus inspected on the Onondaga Sal